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Masayoshi HIROSE et al.	MAY 26 1999
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## TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Enclosed is a reply to the Office Action dated December 21, 1998. The items checked below are appropriate:

[X] Applicants hereby petition for a two-month extension of time to respond to the above Office Action. The fee of \$380.00 for the Extension is enclosed.

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- [X] A fee of \$168.00 to cover the cost of the additional claims added by this reply is enclosed.
- [X] A fee of \$240.00 is enclosed for the Information Disclosure Statement Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.97(c) as specified by Section 1.17(p).

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[X] A check for \$788.00 to cover the above fees is enclosed.

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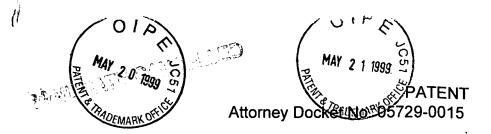
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## SUBMISSION OF ORIGINAL PATENT **PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. 1.178**

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.178, Applicants respectfully submit herewith the original patent upon which this reissue application is based.

If there is any fee due in connection with the filing of this Submission of Original Patent, please charge the fee to our Deposit Account No. 06-0916.

Respectfully submitted,

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